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## THINGS ARE MOVING

Fairly Lively On the Waterfront Yesterday.

### NOME CITY HAS AN ACCIDENT

Grain Fleet Making Its Appearance in Harbor—Alliance Arrives and Leaves up—Geo. W. Elder Leaves for Frisco—Repairs on Rajore Completed—Notes

There was trouble with the wires west of Warrenton yesterday and it was 4 o'clock p. m. before any reports could be received from the bar. At that time the wind was from the west, the velocity being five miles an hour, the weather clear, and the bar rough. There was a 3-masted bark coming towards the bar.

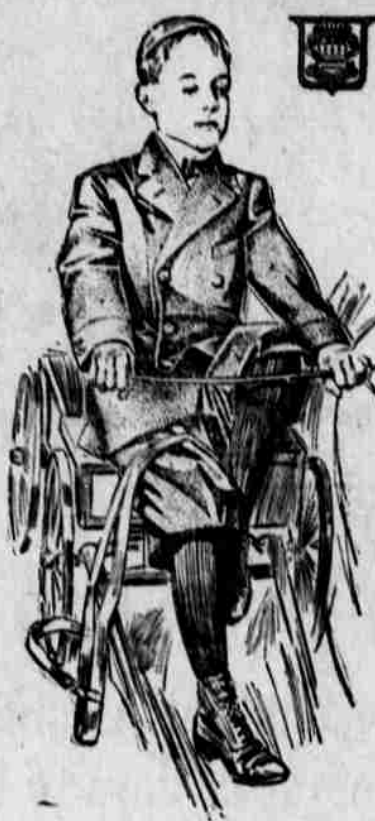
The schooner Alice M. McDonald, which loaded 600,000 feet of lumber at Stella, Wash., cleared at the custom house yesterday and is ready for sea.

The steamer Geo. W. Elder arrived down yesterday at 10 a. m. and left the Callender dock at 1:30 p. m. for San Francisco and San Pedro.

The repairs on the British steamer Rajore have been completed and she was towed into the stream, yesterday afternoon, where the balance of her cargo was put aboard, yesterday evening. It is thought that she will be able to leave out by Tuesday.

The lighthouse tender Armeria will leave out this morning at 7:30 to place two gas buoys. One will be placed, if weather conditions permit, to mark the station held by lightship No. 50, which was recently damaged in collision with the Port Patrick. The other will replace the gas buoy recently reported as being lost.

The Alliance arrived in from Coos Bay yesterday morning at 10 o'clock



## EXTRA Special Sale

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\$3.00 suits now **\$2.00**  
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*P.A. Stokes*

Leader in Nobby Clothes.

### COUNTY CLERK'S REPORT.

#### Clear Statement of the County's Financial Condition—Warrants Drawn.

County Clerk Clinton has prepared his report for the six months ending December 31, 1907, that is an exhaustive statement of the financial condition of Clatsop county.

The total outstanding general fund warrants amount to \$103,590.22

Cash on hand in the general fund	676.99
Excess of liabilities	102,913.23
Expended on court house to date	169,154.67
Warrants drawn during six months, general fund	48,671.00
Special funds	83,950
General fund warrants, road purposes	12,810.88
Building and repairing bridges	5,507.88

#### Warrants on court house

In the excess of liabilities no account is taken of taxes due, road machinery and the new court house which will bring the resources as being much greater than the liabilities and show that the county's financial condition is good.

#### Worthless Checks Suspected—

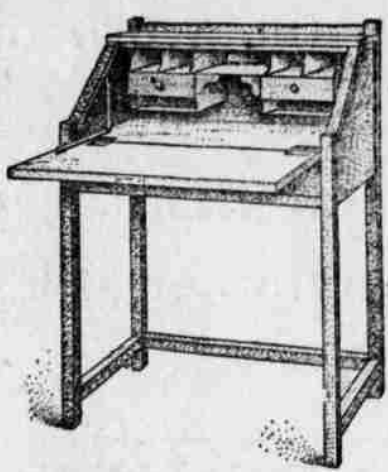
The First National Bank in this city received a letter yesterday from Ilwaco stating that two well dressed young men had attempted to pass worthless checks in that city and failing to do so had come over to Astoria. The police were notified, and it was discovered that an attempt to pass a check was made in this city, which was also a failure. The police will keep their eyes out for the suspects and in the meantime it would be advisable for those cashing checks to be careful in doing so.

## 33rd Annual Clearance Sale

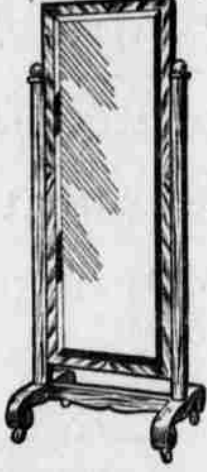
Extraordinary Bargains in all lines of House furnishing Goods. Twenty per Cent. Discount on All Goods.



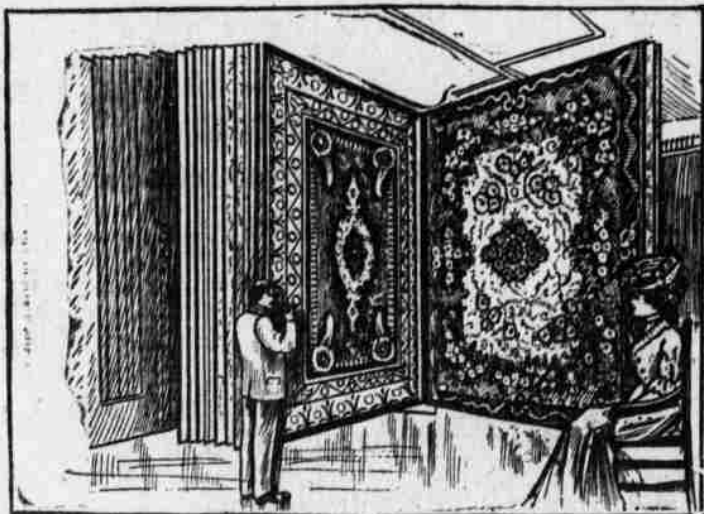
Parlor and Library Tables in golden oak, birdseye maple, mahogany, fumed and weathered oak, at special sale prices.



Ladies' Desk in fumed, weathered and Golden Oak, also birdseye maple. Twenty per cent discount.



We are offering as special inducement, one-third off on all mahogany furniture, including bedroom suits, cheval mirrors, chairs and tables.



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after remaining an hour left up for Portland.

The French bark Guthrae, which was delayed here by the fouling of her anchor, was freed and left up at 2 p. m. yesterday to Portland in tow of the Henderson.

The German ship Reinbek was towed up for Portland yesterday by the Harvest Queen.

The Sue H. Elmore sailed for Tillamook at 2 p. m. yesterday.

Pilots Swanson and Layton are on the pilot schooner which is outside.

The steamer Melville yesterday afternoon succeeded in recovering the anchor of the Guthrae which was cut away in the fouling in the stream.

The Lurline came in yesterday with a good cargo of local freight and 1500 sacks of wheat for the Rajore. After unloading the local cargo the Lurline pulled into the stream alongside the ship and the wheat was transferred. The unloading was completed in time to permit of the Lurline getting away at her usual hour, 7 o'clock.

The British steamer Caithness from La Paz, was outside yesterday and, according to orders delivered to her by the pilots, she proceeded to Puget Sound.

The British steamer Starthfillan came down the river yesterday at noon loaded with grain and flour for the Orient.

The schooner Irene, from Redonda, arrived in yesterday afternoon.

The British bark Miltonburn, is in the harbor loaded with grain for Europe.

The Oriental steamer Arabia, 18 days from Hakodate has not yet been sighted. Although two days overdue, no anxiety is felt for her safety, as she is a staunch vessel and has been particularly fortunate since her launching. She is expected at any time.

When the steamer Tallac comes down from Portland, she will be in command of Capt. Lundquist, of San Francisco. He will take the place of Capt. Hansen, who is ill in Portland, though recovering.

The French bark Marthe Roux is on

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her way down the river, and may arrive today. She is loaded with grain for Europe.

The steamer Nome City collided with the draw pier of the Morrison street bridge at Portland yesterday. The draw was not opened as quick as was expected by the captain and the current taking him threw him broadside against the pier. No damage was done to the steamer or bridge though a sailor had his hand mashed by being caught between the rail of the steamer and the pier. No one else was hurt.

### FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

County Treasurer Sherman Completes Report For Last Six Months of 1907.

The semi-annual report of County Treasurer Sherman has been completed and makes interesting reading. The receipts and disbursements for the last six months of the past year together with balance on hand are as follows:

Balance on hand, July 1, '07.	\$107,048.14
Receipts	25,577.89
Disbursements	10,788.20
Leaving balance, Dec. 31, '07.	11,377.77

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#### New Grocery Store.

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#### The Commercial.

The Commercial, Commercial street, near Eleventh, as everyone knows, is one of the most popular resorts in Astoria. Drop in at any time and see the class of people who patronize this popular place and you will be satisfied that, in entertaining a gentleman friend, you have found the right place. A pleasant game of billiards, a little refreshment, and a quiet talk helps to pass a pleasant evening.

Columbia and Victor graphophones and latest records at 424 Commercial street. A. R. Cyrus. tf.

Oliver typewriters and automatic stenographers at A. R. Cyrus, 434 Commercial street. tf.

#### Palace Restaurant.

A successful year has just closed for the Palace Restaurant and a new year opens. This year will, no doubt, be as successful for this popular restaurant as the past if not more so. The manner of treating the guests pursued there cannot but tend to hold the trade and bring those who have never heard of the Palace.

Notwithstanding symptoms that were regarded as favorable, Butte declines to join the Cities of the Lid.